

"VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE"

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 22 has been amended as follows:

--22. (twice amended) Pairs of oligonucleotide primers, each primer pair being selected from the group of primer pairs consisting of: SEQ ID NO: 9 with SEQ ID NO: 10; SEQ ID NO: 6 with SEQ ID NO: 11; SEQ ID NO: 12 with SEQ ID NO: 3; and SEQ ID NO: 13 with SEQ ID NO: 14.--